



THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 6107**  
Hiromu SUGINO : Docket No. 2001-0559A  
Serial No. 09/831,622 : Group Art Unit 1646  
Filed May 11, 2001 : Examiner Janet L. Andres

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a one month extension of time to respond to the communication of June 11, 2003.

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- ☒ submitted herewith.  
☐ to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.
- ☐ Small entity status of this application is established by a Small Entity Status Assertion which  
☐ is enclosed.  
☐ has been previously submitted.

Respectfully submitted,

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